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TWO CENTS.

MYSTERY AROUND RUMANIAN FORCES

Little Known About Army
Which Has Crossed Dan-
ube into Bulgaria

ENEMY DESTROYS BRIDGES BEHIND THEM

Bulgarians Engaged in An Attempt to
Frustrate Another Invasion Move-
ment — Pressure Lessening on Mac-
edonia Front.

Mystery still surrounds the numbers and movements of the Rumanian forces which have crossed the Danube into Bulgaria near Rahovo in an evident effort to outflank the Bulgarian left wing and compel the retreat of Field Marshal Von Mackensen from the line south of the Constanta-Tchernavoda railway. Berlin's assertion that the pontoon bridge on which the Rumanians crossed was destroyed is supplemented by the Sofia statement that the bridge was put out of commission "at the Dobrudja side" by Austrian monitors.

What disposition the Rumanians are making to keep up the communication with this force is not known. Bucharest has not alluded to the movement.

On their part the Bulgarians apparently are either engaged in frustrating another Rumanian movement to cross the Danube or attempting an operation on their own account.

Reports from Sofia indicate at least a momentary lessening of the entente pressure on the Macedonian front.

CAMPAIGN AGAINST BETHMANN-HOLLWEG

Circular, Making Many Charges, De-
mands Retirement of the Ger-
man Chancellor.

BERLIN, Oct. 4.—The campaign against Chancellor Von Bethmann-Hollweg is daily assuming a more tangible form. One of the latest developments is a circular demanding the retirement of the chancellor, which has been sent by a group of his opponents to such members of the Reichstag as are considered open to their argument. The indictment covers almost everything in the chancellor's conduct of affairs before and during the war. At-
tacks are made in particular on his at-
tempt to reach an agreement with Eng-
land.

ESCAPE FRANCHISE TAX.

Low Value of Stock Gives B. & M. and
New Haven Systems Immunity.

BOSTON, Oct. 4.—Neither the New York, New Haven & Hartford railroad nor the Boston & Maine railroad will pay a state franchise tax for the current year, it was learned today. Because of the "abnormally low market value of their stocks" Taxation Commissioner Trefry said he had decided to impose no tax of this nature on the companies. The New Haven paid \$13,376 last year and four years ago paid \$575,398 while the Boston & Maine franchise tax in its prosperous days of six years ago was \$117,358.


In Odd Fellows' Temple

Wednesday evening, Oct. 4, at 7:30—
Release of the Golden Rule degree.
Thursday evening, Oct. 5, at 7:30—
Regular meeting of the Oasis Encamp-
ment. Golden Rule degree to be con-
ferred on a class of candidates.

Monday, Oct. 9, the Helen May Abbott company will give an entertainment in banquet hall under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. Public invited. Admission, 35c.

Centre Congregational Church

Thursday, Oct. 5, at 2:30 p. m.—The
women of the parish are asked to meet in
the chapel at seven for the home missionary
box. A large attendance is requested.



GENUINE
GOLDEN R
TOBACCO

FOUR POINTS IN UPPER
PART OF THE GREAT R

After smoking a few packages
of Golden R, the smoker who has
used a great many kinds of to-
bacco, says: Golden R is much
better than the other kinds I
have used. But only your pipe
can tell you just how much the
best Golden R is. Distributed by
DeWitt Grocery Co.

TOBACCO ASSOCIATES
SPRINGFIELD MASS.

THROWS SCARE INTO DRIVERS OF AUTOS

Traffic Cop Creates Sensation in Bel-
lows Falls by Demanding that All
Show Their Licenses.

(Special to The Reformer.)
BELLINGS FALLS, Oct. 4.—
A real traffic cop arrived in town
yesterday morning and for the remain-
der of the day created such a sensa-
tion as had not been experienced in
this village in many moons. The of-
ficer was State Inspector of Motor Ve-
hicles Patrick J. Henry, a former mem-
ber of the Burlington police force,
and what he didn't do to some drivers
in the way of throwing a scare wasn't
worth doing.

Officer Henry stopped practically
every car with a Vermont number
which entered or left the Square by
the Westmaster street end and asked
each driver if he, the driver, had a
license. In most cases the automobil-
ists had the slips of paper issued by
Secretary of State Guy W. Bailey safe-
ly stowed away in the pockets of their
clothes. But there were many not so
fortunate and they were warned not
to again drive their cars without the
licenses on their persons, as required
by law.

Two machines driven by men who
admitted that they were not the pos-
sessors of licenses had to be left in
the Square until other drivers could
take them home. The traffic cop had
a busy day, but it is thought that the
lessons given will bear fruit for many
seasons to come. It was also notice-
able that something was wrong with
the gears or some other part in almost
all the cars which passed through the
Square, as none of them hit the high
rates of speed they ordinarily attain
while in the business section. Every
driver in town was entitled to a good
little boy's medal for careful driving
yesterday.

SUBMARINES SINK MANY ENEMY SHIPS

Total Tonnage of 14,600 Destroyed by
the Germans Between September
20 and 29.

BERLIN, Oct. 4, by wireless to Say-
ville.—Thirty-five vessels of countries at
war with Germany with a total tonnage
of 14,600 were sunk by German submarines
in the North sea or the English channel
between Sept. 20 and Sept. 29, the Over-
sea News agency announces. This is in
addition to 11 British fishing steamers and
four Belgian lighters, whose sinking already
has been reported. Twenty-seven of the
25 were fishing steamers. Thirty-one pris-
oners were brought in by the submarines.

RUSSIANS GAIN IN LEMBERG CAMPAIGN

Force Their Way Across Zlota Lipa
River and Drive Enemy from the
Heights.

LONDON, Oct. 4.—After three days of
incessant and furious fighting the Russians
are reported to have won considerable
advantage in their new drive on Lemberg.
Reuters Petrograd correspondent says
the Russians, under cover of artillery fire,
forced their way across the Zlota Lipa
river south of Brzezany, driving the
Austro-German forces from the heights.
The Russian artillery then advanced and
began a bombardment of the camp and
suburbs of the town.

FIGHT WITH BURGLARS.

Men Who Broke into Easthampton
Store Dropped \$1,200 of Booty.

EASTHAMPTON, Oct. 4.—Officer
James Campbell engaged in a running
fight yesterday morning at 1:15
with four men who, according to later
discoveries, undoubtedly had just com-
pleted a job of burglary in M. P.
Taintor's jewelry store on Union
street. Although the shots of the of-
ficer failed to stop the thieves, his en-
counter with them led to the recovery
of about \$1,200 worth of jewelry,
which had been removed from the
store in a bag and carried to the rail-
road tracks in the vicinity of Union
street. One of the shots fired by the
fleeing men entered the open bedroom
window of Miss Nora M. Conner,
near the corner of Union street and
Chapman avenue, and entered the wall
only a few inches above her head.

The first intimation of trouble was
when the officer accosted a stranger
on the street. Instead of replying the
man ran, and on reaching the building
where the jewelry store is located was
joined by the other three.

TAKE FORTIFIED LINE.

French Report Another Important Gain
on the Somme Front.

PARIS, Oct. 4.—A strongly fortified
line German defenses between Mor-
val and St. Pierre Vaast wood on the
Somme front has been captured by the
French, the war office announces to-
day. Two hundred prisoners were
taken.

THE WEATHER.

Generally Fair Tonight and Thursday
—Moderate Shifting Winds.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 4.—The weath-
er forecast: Generally fair tonight and
Thursday. Gentle to moderate shifting
winds.

Prince of Pilsen tickets go on sale to-
morrow morning at Box Office.—Adv.

BOSTON FAVORITE IN THE BETTING

Wagers Placed at Odds of 10
to 7 for the World's
Series Games

TICKETS ARE BEING ALLOTTED TODAY

All of the 27,000 Seats Available for
Reservation Covered by Applications
—Royal Rooters to Accompany Team
to Brooklyn.

BOSTON, Oct. 4.—Distribution of re-
served seats tickets for the world's series
baseball games in this city between the
Brooklyn Nationals and the Boston Amer-
icans, which will open on Saturday, began
today. Each of the 27,000 seats available
for reservation was covered by applica-
tions of officials of the local club said.
Almost immediately after the receipt
by mail this morning of notices of allot-
ments successful applicants began to ap-
pear at the club offices at Fenway park.
Assurance that the Red Sox will be
cheered on the foreign field by organized
local supporters, as the local world series
contenders have been for years, was given
today by John M. Killen of the Royal
Rooters. He reported that President El-
betts of the Brooklyn club had promised
an adequate supply of tickets for the Bos-
ton party which will follow the fortunes
of the team.

First indications of the betting odds on
the series were available today with Brook-
lyn placed as the National league winner.
It was said no Brooklyn money had ap-
peared. The Boston players today had
tight batting and fielding practice at
Braves' field, where the local games will
be played.

TO TAKE NO ACTION ON MCGRAW'S REMARKS

New York Manager Lost His Temper
When the Giants Played Listless
Ball Yesterday.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—The National
commission will take no action on the
statement made by Manager John Mc-
Graw of the Giants that his team played
listless ball in the game yesterday, when
Brooklyn easily defeated the Giants and
captured the championship.
President Tener of the league said today
that the commission would not take any
cognizance of McGraw's remarks. "Mc-
Graw was undoubtedly wrought up over
the fact that his team could not keep on
winning," said President Tener. "The
Giants were suffering from the reaction of
their long winning streak. I don't doubt
that McGraw said harsh things, but every
friend of baseball will realize the fiery
temper of the man who said them."

McGraw could not be found today to
amplify his remarks which he made short-
ly after he left the Giants' bench in an-
ger during the fifth inning of the game
yesterday.
Manager Robinson of the Brooklyn
team said that he could not understand
what could have prompted McGraw's re-
marks unless he was angry over the fact
that Brooklyn was showing the Giants up.
The Brooklyn players will take it easy in
their next two games in order to rest up
for the opening of the world's series. The
club officials are being swamped with ap-
plications for seats.
In commenting upon McGraw's remarks
President Johnson of the American league
characterized them as "outrageous" and
said that if the situation had arisen in the
American league he would have dealt with
it in anything but a lenient manner. When
asked if the commission would take up the
matter Johnson said it is up to the Na-
tional league. "If they are not big enough
to handle it they should go out of busi-
ness," he said.

HIS MONEY TAKEN.

American Citizen Deprived of \$10,000
at Kirkwall.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Hans Lager-
slof, an American citizen of Swedish
parentage, who arrived yesterday on the
Swedish-American line steamship, Sock-
holm, from Gothenberg and Kirk-
wall, reported that on the outward
passage of the steamship he had been
held at Kirkwall by the British port
authorities and \$10,000 in gold which
he carried was seized.
Lagerslof said that the gold was
taken from him on the suspicion that
he was bringing it to Germany. Al-
though finally permitted to return to
this country, Lagerslof declared that
his money had not been restored to him.

AN INCREASE TODAY.

Twenty-Three New Cases of Infantile
Paralysis and Eight Deaths.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Although the
epidemic of infantile paralysis is of-
ficially at an end as far as the federal
medical authorities are concerned, fed-
eral inspection of interstate travel has
been discontinued, a big increase
was reported today in the number of
new cases. For the 24 hours ending
at 10 a. m. there were 23, as compared
with 12 yesterday. The deaths were
seven against eight yesterday.

MUSICAL ENJOYED BY D. A. R. CHAPTER

Program by Mrs. Francis P. Blake and
Miss Ruth A. Brown—Proposed
Amendment to Cemetery Law.

The October meeting of the Brattle-
boro chapter, D. A. R., was held yester-
day afternoon in the Unitarian parish
house. The meeting was called to
order by the regent, Mrs. Lyman E.
Holden, and after the routine business
had been transacted the regent pre-
sented to the chapter for its endorse-
ment a proposed amendment to Section
4153 of Chapter 180 of the Public
Statutes of Vermont, pertaining to the
care and maintenance of cemeteries in
this state. It was unanimously voted
to accept the proposed amendment and
to present the same to the state con-
ference of the D. A. R., to be held in
Montpelier, Oct. 11.

This proposed amendment makes it
obligatory upon the town officials to
see that cemeteries are properly
fenced, that grass and brush are cut
twice a year and that headstones and
graves are kept in proper condition.
The old law provides that this work
may be done on petition of taxpayers.

Mrs. Herbert G. Barber, Mrs. Oscar
F. Benson, Mrs. C. B. Lamson, Mrs. M.
F. Wood, Mrs. George F. Barber, Mrs.
Wilfred F. Root and Mrs. Arthur E.
Knight, were elected delegates to the
state conference at Montpelier.

After the business meeting a musi-
cale was given by Mrs. Francis P.
Blake, pianist, and Miss Ruth A.
Brown, soprano. Mrs. Blake deligh-
tfully entertained the audience with a
program made up of compositions of
the old masters and modern composers.
She gave an interpretation of the mu-
sic of the 17th century, giving selec-
tions from Mozart, Gluck and Scar-
latti, to illustrate the simplicity of the
music of that age. Mrs. Blake next
took up the French and Spanish com-
posers, including Debussy, Faure, Al-
beniz and Granados, and to show the
difference between the old masters and
modern composers she rendered several
selections from Pery, Granger and
MacDowell.

Miss Brown charmingly rendered
several songs which were thoroughly
appreciated by all. Refreshments were
served by the social committee.

THE DEADLOCK REMAINS UNBROKEN

Effort of Mayor Mitchell to Settle the
Milk War in New York Not
Successful.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—A conference to-
day between Mayor Mitchell and rep-
resentatives of the New York milk dis-
tributing companies in an effort to end
the differences between the companies and
the Dairywomen's league failed of results,
according to an unofficial announcement.
The announcement was made by George W.
Alger, one of the counsel for the companies,
who said that they had "voted to leave
nothing to do with the league."

It was understood prior to the meeting
that the mayor was to propose that the
distributors pay the price demanded, the
farmers as a concession waiving recogni-
tion of the league.

RECORD BROKEN ON MASONIC ALLEYS

John Marks Makes 96 Out of Possible
100 Without Spare or Strike—
Alleys Much Improved.

There was a large attendance last
evening at the Masonic bowling alleys,
when the season of 1916-1917 was in-
augurated. All of the bowlers were
enthusiastic over the condition of the
three revamped alleys, which are un-
questionably faster than in any pre-
vious season. One record was broken,
John Marks getting 96 out of a pos-
sible 100 without a spare or strike,
having six tens and four nines. The
previous record of 95 was held jointly
by C. B. Crowell, W. E. Hubbard and
A. S. Thompson.

TAFT AND TEDDY MEET.

Shake Hands at Union League Recep-
tion in New York.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Theodore
Roosevelt and William H. Taft clasped
hands for a moment in New York last
night at the Union League's reception
to Charles E. Hughes.

"How do you do?" said Mr. Taft.
"How do you do?" Mr. Roosevelt
replied.
Each bowed and Mr. Roosevelt
passed on to shake hands with other
guests, leaving Mr. Taft to greet those
who followed. A few moments later
Mr. Roosevelt took his place in the
receiving line. He stood between Mr.
Hughes and Chauncey M. Depew. Just
the other side of Mr. Depew stood Mr.
Taft. Thus, standing in the same re-
ceiving line, they shook hands with the
hundreds of club members and their
guests who filed past during the
evening.

"We shook hands," Mr. Taft said
afterwards, "just like any gentlemen
would shake hands." Mr. Roosevelt
declined to comment on the meeting.
After the handshaking was over and
the library was cleared, Elihu Root,
president of the club, escorted Mr.
Hughes through flag-draped corridors
to a small platform in the main club
room. Beneath a life-size picture of
Abraham Lincoln Mr. Root again in-
troduced the nominee, who made a
brief address. Col. Roosevelt followed
Mr. Hughes in a speech in which he
arraigned the Wilson administration.

DISTRICT MEETING OF ODD FELLOWS

About 300 Attend Program
in Temple — 212 at
Banquet

FLAG PRESENTED TO LOCAL LODGE

Several Grand Officers Present, Also
Visitors from Other States — Fine
Degree Work by West River Lodge
of South Londonderry.

The district meeting of subordinate
lodges of Odd Fellows in district No. 10,
held last evening in the new temple
of Warranted lodge, in Brattleboro,
was unusually successful. The banquet,
which was served by Dennis Rebekah
lodge at 6:30 o'clock, found 212 members
of the order to enjoy an exceptionally fine
repast, and at the exercises in the lodge
room in the evening about 300 were pres-
ent.

Newfane lodge, with a membership
of 71, had the remarkable representation of
35 members. Those present included, be-
sides delegations from all the lodges of the
district, members of eight Vermont lodges
not in the district, members of six New
Hampshire lodges, of six Massachusetts
lodges, of two Maine lodges and one from
a Canadian lodge.

The lodge meeting was opened in due
form by Warranted lodge, No. 5, of
Brattleboro, H. J. Wilson, noble grand,
presiding. The grand officers present were
introduced and were: J. G. Roy of East
Barnet, grand master; E. A. Spear of
Woodstock, deputy grand master; F. W.
Jackson of Barre, grand secretary; H. A.
Morse of Bellows Falls, grand herald; F.
E. Perry of Brattleboro, past grand rep-
resentative; E. J. Eddy of Brattleboro,
district deputy grand master; Patriarchs
Militant; W. T. Haigh of Brattleboro,
past department commander, Patriarchs
Militant; Robert W. Taber of Brattleboro,
past grand representative of Massachu-
setts; F. A. Buckley of Hinsdale, N. H.,
district deputy grand master of the New
Hampshire jurisdiction; Charles G. Sta-
ples of Brattleboro, grand treasurer of the
Brattleboro, grand marshal of the grand
encampment; and Herbert A. Johnson of
Brattleboro, district deputy grand patri-
arch.

Grand Treasurer Staples welcomed the
visiting grand officers and members of the
order, saying that it was a special pleas-
ure to welcome them this year because of
the new temple of Warranted lodge,
which was being used for the first time
for a district meeting.

The response for the district was by F.
A. DeWitt of Newfane lodge, who said
that sincerity in invitations and accept-
ance came spontaneously because of the
bond of Odd Fellowship which binds them
all. He regretted that more did not attend
meetings of their lodges, rather than
place a desire for sordid gain above their
obligations to the order.

Grand Master J. G. Roy responded
briefly for the grand officers and F. H.
Brassey sang a solo.
The pleasant surprise for Warranted
lodge came when W. T. Haigh, as flag-
bearer and W. J. Cain and George A.
Metcalfe as aids, all in full uniform,
marched into the lodge room accompanied
by the past noble grand of the lodge and
with Captain Haigh bearing a handsome
United States flag. Mr. Perry presented
the flag to the lodge from the past noble
grands. Earl Woodward, organist, played
Star Spangled Banner on the organ and
the entire attendance sang the concluding
words.

The retiring grand master, Dr. L. C.
Holcombe, of Milton, had suggested that
all lodges in the Vermont jurisdiction
should have always in the lodge rooms the
national colors and the suggestion was
adopted at the grand lodge session. F. E.
Perry, E. J. Eddy and A. L. Maynard
were appointed a committee of Warranted
lodge to make arrangements for a flag
and Mr. Perry suggested that the
past noble grand should join together and
buy a suitable flag and present it to the
lodge. This was done last night.

Noble Grand H. J. Wilson accepted the
gift for the lodge in a very happy response
to the presentation by Mr. Perry.

Resolutions expressing the love and
sympathy of the lodges of the district to
D. W. Tenney of Brattleboro, one of the
older and most constant members of Wan-
tasted lodge, were adopted.

The exemplification of the initiatory de-
gree by West River lodge, No. 24, of
South Londonderry, was a very creditable
performance by a degree team of 19 mem-
bers.

Reports from the lodges in the district
showed that Warranted lodge now has
a total membership of 388, a gain of 23
since Jan. 1. West River lodge of South
Londonderry, Wardsboro and Newfane
lodges all showed gains. West River
lodge has suspended one member this year
for non-payment of dues, the first to be
thus suspended in 10 years. This lodge
has a membership of 75. Wardsboro, with
a membership of 66, has bought its own
hall, and Newfane lodge, with a mem-
bership of 71, is recovering finely from the
loss sustained by the burning of the lodge
home.

Following another solo by Frank H.
Brasor the unwritten work of the order
was exemplified by F. W. Jackson, grand
secretary. This was of special interest to
visitors from Massachusetts, where they
do not hold district meetings and have
little or no opportunity to see the exem-

PIERCE-MORRIS WEDDING TODAY

Double Ring Service in Home of Bride's
Grandmother—Couple Will Live
in Greenfield, Mass.

The marriage of Ernest Fred Pierce
of Jacksonville and Miss Pauline May
Morris of Brattleboro took place this
morning at 11 o'clock in the home of
the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Myra
L. Stone of 2 Forest street, Rev. D. E.
Trout, pastor of the First Universalist
church, of which the bride is a mem-
ber, officiating. They were unattended.
A double ring service was used. Only
the relatives were present. The deco-
rations were of autumn leaves and
hydrangeas. The bride was gowned in
white net and embroidered batiste and
she carried white roses.

A reception followed immediately
after the ceremony. Miss Helen E.
Morris, sister of the bride, Miss Iva
L. Pierce, sister of the bridegroom,
and Miss Marion Stone and Miss Mar-
jorie Morris, cousins of the bride,
served. The couple received wedding
gifts of silver, cut-glass, linen, furni-
ture and money.

Mr. and Mrs. Pierce left this noon
on a wedding trip by automobile. The
bride's traveling gown was of dark
green trimmed with maroon. They
will be at home after Nov. 1 at 366
Wells street, Greenfield, Mass.

Mrs. Pierce, who is a daughter of
Mrs. May Morris of Brattleboro,
formerly was a teacher in the Center-
ville school. Mr. Pierce is a son of Mr.
and Mrs. Mervin Pierce of Jackson-
ville and is employed as machinist for
Goodell & Pratt in Greenfield.

Among the out-of-town guests were
Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lydell of Spring-
field, Mass., Miss Marjorie Morris of
Ludlow, Mass., Miss Alta Wheeler of
Readsboro, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin
Pierce and daughters, Iva and Irene,
and Mrs. Murray Pierce, all of Jack-
sonville.

BRIDGE FALLS WITH LOAD OF LUMBER

Horses' Legs Dangle Over Stream —
Three Drivers Managed to Extricate
Them—Nobody Hurt.

One of three teams owned by F. A.
Larson, which were drawing lumber
yesterday afternoon, past the John
Taft place in West Dummerston, broke
through the short bridge over a stream
near the Taft place. Driver Edward
Jackson went down with the load to
the bed of the brook about eight feet
below, but escaped with nothing more
serious than numerous bruises and a
few scratches. The load drew the
horses back until their hind legs
dangled over the brook, but by con-
certed effort the three drivers dragged
them out with nothing more serious
than slight cuts and bruises. The head
team passed over the bridge safely,
the accident happening when the second
team was crossing.

"A-u-t-o-c-r-a-c-y," spelled Tommy,
reading aloud. After a pause he pro-
nounced it "Autocracy." And he won-
dered why his father laughed.—Chicago
Herald.

plification, by a high official, of the un-
written work. The meeting concluded
with remarks by the visiting grand officers.

The lodges in the district are Warranted
lodge, No. 5, of Brattleboro; Winhall
lodge, No. 8, of Bondville; West River, No.
24, of South Londonderry; Wardsboro,
No. 70, of Wardsboro; and Newfane, No.
72, of Newfane.

The local committee of arrangements
consisted of Past Grand A. L. Maynard,
O. D. Stowell and H. C. Shaw.

COMPANY I WILL COME SATURDAY

Will Be Mustered Out That
Morning at Fort
Ethan Allen

SPECIAL TRAIN TO BRING THEM HOME

Will Have at Least One Month's Full
Pay Besides State Pay Voted and
Still Due — State May Not Be Repre-
sented at Rifle Shoot.

(Special to The Reformer.)

FORT ETHAN ALLEN, Oct. 4.—
Company I of Brattleboro, of the 1st
Vermont regiment, will be mustered out
of the federal service Saturday morning
and will return to Brattleboro Saturday
afternoon or evening in a special train.
The muster out rolls and pay roll have
been prepared for Oct. 7.

A banquet to Company G was given
at Winslow last evening by business
men and was largely attended. The
Company I men are all well and anxious
to get home.

The mustering out will begin Friday
morning and will be done in the follow-
ing order:

Companies D of St. Albans, F of
Northfield and H of Montpelier will be
mustered out Friday morning; company
A of Rutland, C and M of Burlington
and G of Winslow, will be mustered
out Friday afternoon; B of St. John-
sbury, E of Bellows Falls, I of Brattle-
boro, K of Springfield, L of Newport
and the machine gun troop, headquar-
ters and supply companies, will be mus-
tered out Saturday morning.

Col. Ira L. Reeves, commanding of-
ficer of the regiment, and his staff, prob-
ably will leave Fort Ethan Allen on
Saturday afternoon.

The men will be paid in full here. All
of the men have at least one month's
full pay, besides state pay which was
voted to them, still due.

Col. Reeves says the Vermont regi-
ment will not be represented by a rifle
team this year at the rifle matches,
which will be shot this month at Jack-
sonville, Fla., because of the failure of
the government to make any appropriation
for this purpose.

JAMAICA.

George M. Stocker Dies in Fitchburg.

George M. Stocker, for many years
a well-known resident of Fitchburg,
Mass., died at the Home for Aged
Couples in Roxbury, Mass., Sept. 29,
in the 76th year of his age. The funeral
was held at the home Sunday. Mr.
Stocker was born in Jamaica. He went
to Fitchburg in 1880 and for a few
years conducted a men's clothing
store. He afterwards became a travel-
ing salesman for a Boston house deal-
ing in men's hats with a territory
covering all the New England states.
He retained his residence in Fitch-
burg until 1904, when he moved to
Somerville, Mass. He had been in
failing health for some time and un-
able to engage in any occupation. He
leaves a son, George F. Stocker. A
daughter, Miss Lillian M. Stocker, who
was for a number of years teacher of
steno-graphy at the Fitchburg high
school, died several years ago.

Individuality

—Some men just nat-
urally want to be in-
dividual in the manner
they wear their clothes.

We respectfully suggest
that men and young
men of this persuasion
wear

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Marx Clothes

Individual but not
freakish; custom tail-
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